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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Assignment of Mr. [REDACTED] to the Policy Planning Council, Department of State

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1. Effective 27 May 1963, Mr. [REDACTED] Chief, Near East Staff, Office of National Estimates, will begin an assignment with the Policy Planning Council, Department of State. [REDACTED] will be primarily engaged in strategic studies on [REDACTED] and it is anticipated that this temporary duty assignment will last about four months. It is not inconceivable, however, that [REDACTED] might be asked to remain with the Council for a longer period (e.g., one to two years), should a suitable vacancy occur there.

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2. [REDACTED] assignment to the Council stems from ONE action to implement a specific recommendation of the Inspector General, CIA, in his survey of ONE. This recommendation dealt with the assignment of bright, experienced, senior staff personnel to policy-making groups of the US Government for tours of duty as part of their career development and as a means of strengthening relations and increasing understanding between intelligence producers and their customers.

3. Mr. Walt W. Rostow has expressed his gratification with [REDACTED] assignment and has directed that [REDACTED] be treated as a full-fledged member of the Council.

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